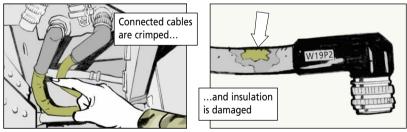


Nobody likes being squeezed into a tight place. The W19P2 and W20P2 power cables on your MLRS launcher are no exceptions.

Unfortunately, those cables have no choice. When they're connected, the bottom part of the cables have to be squeezed into place. That crimps the cables and eventually wears out the insulation.



If the cables short out, you lose electrical power to the boom and the cables have to be replaced.

You can prevent that problem by giving the cables a little extra protection. Slip a length of 1-in diameter heat shrink tubing, NSN 5970-00-815-1300, over each of the cables where they are bent. Use a heat gun or a blow dryer to shrink the tubing in place.

The tubing protects the cables' insulation and keeps power flowing to the boom.